



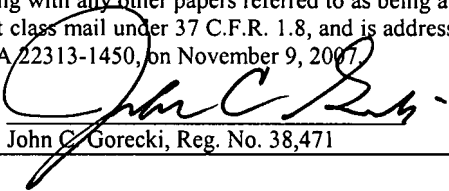
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Applicant: Peter Ashwood Smith Examiner: J. Park  
Serial No.: 10/757,139 Art Unit: 2616  
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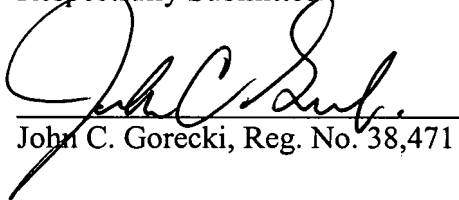
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Applicants request a one month extension of time to respond to the Office Action					\$120.00
<b>TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEES FOR THIS AMENDMENT</b>					<b>\$120.00</b>

A credit card authorization for the one month extension of time is enclosed. If any additional fees are due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 502246 (Ref. NN-16258). A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully Submitted

  
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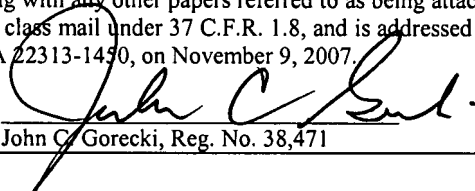


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**AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 10, 2007, please amend this application as follows:

**AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**REMARKS/ARGUMENTS** begin on page 6 of this paper.